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## SUPPLEMENT TO INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Commissioner for Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

There is attached hereto an English language translation of the preliminary international search report that was filed with the application on August 1, 2001, in the event this would be of any assistance to the Examiner.

Respectfully submitted,

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